IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE DIVISION

CIVIL CASE NO. 1:21-cv-00321-MR CRIMINAL CASE NO. 1:19-cr-00028-MR-WCM-3

WILLIAM LUTHER DOWNS, JR.,)
Petitioner,)
vs.)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	ORDER
Respondent.))

THIS MATTER is before the Court sua sponte.

The *pro se* Petitioner has filed a Motion to Vacate under 28 U.S.C. § 2255. [Doc. 1]. The Government has filed a Response opposing § 2255 relief. [Doc. 3]. The Petitioner may file a reply to the Response, if he chooses to do so, within fourteen (14) days of this Order.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that no later than fourteen (14) days from the entry of this Order, the Petitioner may file a reply to the Government's Response in opposition to his § 2255 Motion to Vacate.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed: February 2, 2022

Martin Reidinger

Chief United States District Judge